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Dear Senator D'Amato:

Thank you very much for your thoughtful invitation to attend the first annual Raoul Wallenberg award ceremony in New York Karch 4, 1987.

I very much regret that due to a firm prior commitment, will not be able to attend. I am sure it will be a successful and memorable evening, I wish that I could join you in doing honor to one of the real heroes of the twentieth century, Raoul Wallenberg.

I hope you will extend both my regrets and my very best wishes to the organizers of this event.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Murphy Assistant Secretary Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs

The Honorable Alfonse M. D'Amato, United States Senate.

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